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SUBJECT: SHIELD: PRC FEEDBACK SOUGHT ON PAST CASES OF CHEM/BIO PROLIFERATION CONCERN

REF: STATE 85793 AND PREVIOUS (NOTAL)

Classified By: Political Section Regional Unit Chief Mark Lambert. Reasons 1.4 (c) and (d).

11. (S) PolOff delivered reftel demarche and nonpaper requesting information on the status of investigations of past cases of chem/bio proliferation concern to MFA Arms Control and Disarmament Department Chemical/Biological Division Deputy Director Yang Yi on August 21. Yang said each referenced case would be scrutinized to determine what information could be provided in preparation for the U.S.-China Nonproliferation Dialogue on September 8. GOLDBERG